AN ORDINANCE 98128

APPROVING A PARADE PERMIT AND AUTHORIZING THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF CERTAIN STREETS NEAR MACARTHUR HIGH SCHOOL IN CONNECTION WITH THE SPIRIT PARADE TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2003 FROM 5:45 P.M. UNTIL 7:00 P.M., SPONSORED BY MACARTHUR HIGH SCHOOL.

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WHEREAS, MacArthur High School has applied for a parade permit to hold their "Spirit Parade" on Wednesday, October 8, 2003 beginning at 5:45 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, in order for this event to take place, it will be necessary to temporarily close portions of Bitters, Mayfair, Severen, Wroxton and Asteroid to vehicular traffic, as stated in the route in "Section 2" below; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that granting the request will promote the health, safety and welfare of the participants and the public in the vicinity; and

WHEREAS, the request has been evaluated and it has been found that no adverse traffic problems would result, and that the request should be granted in accordance with the City's usual practice and procedure; NOW THEREFORE;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby approves the requested parade permit to **MacArthur High School** to hold their "Spirit Parade" on Wednesday, October 8, 2003 beginning at 5:45 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

SECTION 2. In order to hold the "Spirit Parade" on Wednesday, October 8, 2003 beginning at 5:45 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., the temporary closure of portions of the streets listed in the route below to vehicular traffic is hereby authorized:

Assembly Area: MacArther High School Parking lot at 2923 Bitters,

Route: West on Bitters to Mayfair,

North on Mayfair from Bitters to Severen, West on Severen from Mayfair to Wroxton, North on Wroxton from Severen to Asteroid, East on Asteroid from Wroxton to Mayfair, South on Mayfair from Asteroid to Bitters, East on Bitters to MacArther High School Parking Lot (2923 Bitters)

SECTION 3. The City Manager is authorized to further implement this ordinance by taking any additional actions deemed necessary to protect the public.

SECTION 4. MacArthur High School shall be responsible for the following:

- a) all insurance requirements,
- b) paying the required street closure permit fee and any other fees and license charges,
- c) posting signs, barricades and the use of any off duty or on-duty police officers, as may be required by the City of San Antonio's Public Works and/or Police Departments, to evidence the street closure and to provide for the safety of patrons and the rerouting of traffic, and
- d) cleaning the area up after the event is held.

SECTION 5. MacArthur High School shall assume all risks inherent in this event and shall indemnify and hold harmless the City of San Antonio from any and all costs, damages, injuries, or losses attendant to, or in any way growing out of this special use of the public street right-of-ways.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be effective on the 21st day of September 2003.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11th day of September, 2003.

M A Y O R

EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST.

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: